



**5th Sunday of Easter
Mother's Day
May 14, 2017
8:30 & 11:00 a.m.**



**We Gather to Celebrate
New Life in Christ**

Prelude "On Eagle's Wings" *arr. Douglas E. Wagner*

Service of Light Jesus said, "I am the Light of the World."

Welcome and Announcements

Call to Worship
Let us worship God as we celebrate families.

**We come to worship as members of families.
We come as parents and children to celebrate our families.**

Jesus said, "For where two or three come together in my name, I am there with them."
Let us worship God who created families and called them good.

Opening Hymn (words on screen) "Faith of Our Mothers"

Opening Prayer

Greet One Another As Christ Has Greeted You

Good News for Children "Jesus Wants Me for a Sunbeam"
(please sing as the Children come forward)

*A sunbeam, a sunbeam - Jesus wants me for a sunbeam.
A sunbeam, a sunbeam - I'll be a sunbeam for Him.*

Change Jar for Burlington United Methodist Family Services which provides foster care, adoption services, and residential group homes here in West Virginia (Children age 2 – 3rd grade leave for COOL Kids)

The Baptismal Covenant II, UMH No. 39

(8:30) Ava Monroe Slappe, daughter of Brian & Kimberly Slappe
(11:00) Leah Lynn Veit, daughter of Ben & Brittiany Veit

(11:00) Commissioning for REACH Summer Staff: David Westfall, Sarah Westfall

Choir Anthem "A Mother's Prayer" *Getty / arr. Fettke & Grassi*
Accompanied by Rebecca Richmond (violin) and Rachel Ward (piano)

Joys, Concerns, and Prayers
Our Lord's Prayer No. 895

Offering Back to God
Offertory "You Raise Me Up" *arr. Joel Raney*

Offertory Response
*Give thanks with a grateful heart, give thanks to the Holy One,
give thanks because he's given Jesus Christ his Son.
And now let the weak say, "I am strong"; let the poor say, "I am rich
because of what the Lord has done for us." Give thanks!*

Scripture Mark 3:20-21, 31-35

Words to Live By "Hope for Fractured Families" Ellis Conley

Closing Hymn UMH No. 445 "Happy the Home When God is There"

Service of Light Jesus said, "You are the Light of the World."

Benediction "Let There Be Peace on Earth"

Postlude "Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee" *arr. Joel Raney*

We Scatter to Witness and Serve, Using the Gifts God Gave Us

Remember in Your Thoughts and Prayers (as of 5/11/17)

Davis Antis, Debbie Bias, Joy Manson Browne, Catherine Clark, Rev. George Clay, Norma Cooper, Leigh Ann Cutlip, Evelyn Easter, Emma Louise Farrow, Carole Gatewood, Gertrude Graham, Edgar Grey (Joe Ann Gyke's brother), Arlene Hale, Dick Hinshaw, Phil Hyre, Nancy Jepson, Jack McGinnis, Wanda Mumford (Susan Caldwell's mother), Bob Neumeyer, Steve Neumeyer, Andrew Parks, Robbie Parsons, Douglas Robertson, Lynn Simmons, Keith Smith, Cathy Stevens, David Stull, Jean Sutherland, Barry Whitten (A.C. & Kay Chapman's son), Jack Wilson, Construction safety & progress

CAMC Memorial: Liz Neumeyer

Bellaire at Devonshire: Allen Harrah

Brale Care Home: Phyllis Blankenship (Bob Blankenship's mother)

Broadmore Assisted Living: Ruth Alford, Clarice Bayliss

Genesis Putnam Center: Betty McKnight

Hubbard House West: Densil Neumeyer

Midland Meadows: Della Patterson

Rolling Meadows Plc: Lynn O'Brien (Debbie Ayers' mother), Rev. Billy Reed Wickline

Our Service Personnel: Chris Brown, Kris Cutlip, Will Dempsey, Jason Ellis, Ty Foster, Elliott Giles (Steve & Rosemary Cook's son-in-law), Jon Hansen, Jacob Hudnall (Jeanie Jarvis' nephew), R. Travis Hughes (Leslie St. Clair's nephew), Donnie Jacobs, Aaron Lane, Mike McClure (Dwight & Becky Williams' son-in-law), Dane Meadows, Zach Meadows, Bobby Menear, Steven Miller II, Julian Skinner (Joe Ann Gyke's grandson), Jessica Varian, Cameron Wilkinson



Christian Community Cupboard: For the month of May please shop for canned fruit! Place donations in the cart in the Narthex. **Volunteers are needed at the Cupboard** on the 3rd Saturday of each month, 9:45 a.m.-12:00 p.m. A sign up sheet is at the Connection Center.

BackPack Buddies: We provide breakfast, lunch, and snacks to 95 local school children each weekend and over the holiday breaks during the 2016-17 school year. Please add a few nonperishable food items to your grocery list so we can stock the shelves. Monetary donations are accepted. Food items and your clean, plastic grocery bags can be placed in the grey cart in the Narthex. The packing sign-up is located at the Connection Center. Thanks for being the hands and feet of Christ to these children!

Salvation Army Camp Donations: We are collecting summer play clothes, socks, shoes, and beach towels for Salvation Army campers from May 14 through May 28. This faith-based camp located in the Martinsburg area will be hosting many campers this summer, including some local children. Campers, ages 7-14, often don't have the basics needed for summer camp.



This is a wonderful ministry that touches the hearts and lives of many children who may never be exposed to the love of Christ if not for the camp experience. A collection basket is located in the Narthex for: new or clean, gently used summer play clothing, socks, and shoes for children ages 7-14, as well as beach towels. Please keep these children in your prayers as they experience the love of Christ at camp.

Summer Camp: Spring Heights is the camping and outdoor facility of the West Virginia Annual Conference of the United Methodist Church, located just north of Spencer. The summer 2017 camp schedule and registration form are available online at: www.springheights.org. Forrest Burdette will pay 1/2 of the camp fees.

A Larry Stickler Memorial Concert was held Sunday, April 23, at Johnson Memorial UMC in Huntington to establish a scholarship at Marshall in memory of Larry. You may add to the scholarship by sending your contributions to: The Marshall Foundation, 519 John Marshall Dr., Huntington, WV 25703.

Church League Softball: Coach J.B. Marinacci is looking for players. Give him a call or text 304-767-1172.

Get connected/Stay connected with Forrest Burdette:

- If you are a visitor today, please fill out a Pew Information Card and place it in the offering plate.
- Check out the website: www.forrestburdette.com
- Sign up for the weekly "E-Connection" and the "Visions" newsletter. Email office@forrestburdette.com
- Like our Facebook page: "Forrest Burdette United Methodist Church".

Scholastic Book Fair Ends Today! COM's annual Spring Book Fair is set up in the Fellowship Hall, open through today, May 14. Come and check out the selection of books, which runs from toddler through elementary ages. A percentage of purchases goes right to COM!



2017 College and High School Graduates: Please contact the church office with your name, school, and degree (or future plans if in high school): 304-562-5903 or office@forrestburdette.com. High School grads will be honored on May 21, next Sunday.

The Book of Daniel—Small Group, beginning this Wednesday, May 17, 6:30 p.m., in the Chapel with Don Gatewood. The book of Daniel was written by the person whose name it bears. Ezekiel, who was a contemporary of Daniel, bears testimony through the spirit of prophecy, to his piety and righteousness, ranking him in this respect with Noah and Job. This is a compelling book of the Old Testament.

Vacation Bible School volunteers are now being organized! We need morning (June 26-30, 9-11 a.m.) and evening (June 25-29, 6-8 p.m.) teams for the COM and Community sessions; sign up for the session that best fits your schedule, at the Connection Center or at the COOL Kids table in the Narthex.

Did you know: Observed the second Sunday in May, this day honors all mothers. It began in its present form with a special service in May 1907 at the Methodist Episcopal Church in Grafton, West Virginia. The service was organized by a Methodist laywoman, Anna Jarvis, to honor her mother, who had died on May 9, 1905. By 1908 Anna Jarvis was advocating that all mothers be honored on the second Sunday in May, and in 1912 the Methodist Episcopal Church recognized the day and raised it to the national agenda. It has some parallels with the old English Mothering Sunday in mid-Lent, which focused on returning home and paying homage to one's mother, and with Mother's Day for Peace, introduced in 1872 by Julia Ward Howe in Boston as a day dedicated to peace.

Joint Church Picnic with St. John UMC
Next Sunday, May 21, 6:00 p.m.
Valley Park, Large Shelter
Covered Dish **Join in the fellowship!**

Uth Roller Coaster-A-Thon! May 27-28, @Cedar Point!
Cost: \$100.00. Fee Covers: 2 Day Admission to Cedar Point + 2 Day All You Can Drink Wristband. We will provide breakfast food (Pop-Tarts, fruit, granola bars, etc.) each morning. Lodging: Columbus Ave UMC (Sandusky). A few spots remain! See Jeremy.

Construction UPDATE
 We have had an active work site this week. Electrical and plumbing has continued with interior and exterior wall insulation installed. Sheetrock is getting started behind the interior insulation (for sound control). The gymnasium walls are being prepared for final finish application. All is moving well, and the weather is tolerant.

"I will support the church with my presence and gifts."
May 7, 2017

Attendance Last Sunday:	8:30 a.m. Worship	149
	Sunday School	131
	11:00 a.m. Worship	187
Gifts Last Sunday:	Weekly Budget Needed	\$13,604
	Deposits for Operating Budget	\$15,140
	Deposits for Building Fund	\$11,054
	Other Deposits	\$350

Sermon Notes

Mark 3:20-21, 31-35 "Hope for Fractured Families"

- I. Thou shall not make your family an _____ .
- II. All families are _____ .
- III. We must forgive _____ and _____ for the mistakes of the past.
- IV. Respect and love one another for _____ .
- V. Every family needs to work on _____ .
- VI. Be willing to extend your family to your _____ .
- VII. You can make a _____ in your family.

Assisting in Worship Today:

Media Technician: Matt Jarvis
 Sound Technician:(8:30): Jeff Harbour, (11:00): Steve Cook
 Ushers:(8:30): A.C. & Kay Chapman, Joe Grady, Reg Hart
 (11:00): Mike & Annette Cartwright, J.D. Philyaw, Ruel Elliott
 Greeters:..... (8:30): Charlene Carter, Joe Grady
 (11:00): TBA
 Acolytes: (8:30): Charlotte Daniels, (11:00): Sarah Clark
 FB COOL Kiddies (Preschool): Karen Cummings
 FB COOL Kids (K-3): (8:30): Diane Dorsey, (11:00): Beth Keen
 Infant Nursery:(8:30 & 9:45): Torie Meadows
 (11:00): Torie Meadows, Abby Mills
 Parking Lot Greeter Team 2:Rick Keen, Jonathan Hill, Tony Hill, Jon McCoy

Birthdays:

5/14 Kathleen Burgess, Thelma Carter, David Erickson, Becky Landin
 5/15 Amy King, Chris McCoy
 5/16 Steve Golden, Jayne Jones
 5/17 Skip Johnson, Keyria Jones
 5/18 Jesse Golden, Kristina Painter
 5/19 Randy Mayhew, Joyce Sayre
 5/20 Joshua Harshbarger, Vicki Jacobs

Anniversaries:

5/14 Mike & Rebecca Richmond 5/16 Chris & Ashley Clark
 5/15 Jim & Linda Swan 5/19 Toby & Alisa Spiker
 5/16 Mark & Carla Akers 5/20 Larry & Linda Wagner

Welcome to Forrest Burdette Memorial United Methodist Church!

... You may wish to take your birth to age 2 children into our nursery which is warm, nurturing, and well-supervised. The nursery is located off the narthex on the right. After "Good News for Children" age 3 to third graders may leave to attend "COOL Club".
 ... Take advantage of the sermon outline in the bulletin. You may find it easier to follow the sermon.
 ... Please keep cellular phones off during the service and set your beepers to non-audible notification.
 ... As United Methodists, we celebrate "open Communion"; everyone is always welcome at the Lord's Table.
 ... Be sure to sign a pew card and check "first time" visitor.
 ... The restrooms are located to the right at entrance to Fellowship Hall and at the end of the ramp and to the left.
 ... Please do not bring coffee, tea, or soft drinks into the Sanctuary.
 ... At the close of worship, our tradition is to reach for your neighbor's hand as we sing together "Let There Be Peace on Earth".

THE MISSION OF FORREST BURDETTE U.M.C.

Minister to people where they are ♦ Strengthen and empower disciples on the journey ♦ Glorify God in all things

Sunday, May 14

8:30 A.M. Worship
 9:45 A.M. Sunday School
 11:00 A.M. Worship
 6:00 P.M. Men's Group -111
 6:00 P.M. Worship -Chapel

Monday, May 15

9:30 A.M. Preventicare -FH
 6:00 P.M. Emmaus Men's Group -111
 6:00 P.M. Emmaus Women's Reunion -Little Narthex
 6:00 P.M. Softball
 6:00 P.M. COM Staff Appreciation Dinner -FH
 6:30 P.M. Boy Scouts 236 -VA House
 7:00 P.M. Cub Scouts 236 -Basement /111
 8:00 P.M. AA Meeting -308
 8:00 P.M. Softball

Tuesday, May 16

9:30 A.M. Ruth Byrd Circle -111
 10:00 A.M. Community Cupboard
 6:30 P.M. Hooks & Needles -201
 6:30 P.M. Girl Scouts 8317 -304

Wednesday, May 17

9:30 A.M. Preventicare -FH
 6:30 P.M. Small Groups Cunningham-111
 Delph-201
 Gatewood-Chapel
 6:30 P.M. Middle & High School Uth -Basement
 7:30 P.M. Praise Band Practice -Sanctuary

Thursday, May 18

12:00 P.M. JOY Fellowship -FH
 7:00 P.M. Choir Practice -Sanctuary

Friday, May 19

9:30 A.M. Preventicare -FH
 10:00 A.M. Community Cupboard

Saturday, May 20

7:30 A.M. Emmaus Prayer Group -110
 10:00 A.M. Leave for Salvation Army Soup Kitchen

Sunday, May 21

Youth Sunday
 High School Graduation Recognition
 8:30 A.M. Worship
 9:45 A.M. Sunday School
 11:00 A.M. Worship
 6:00 p.m. Church Picnic -Valley Park
No Men's Group & No Evening Worship

Memorial Tile Wall

The **final deadline** to reserve a tile for the memorial tile wall in the new addition is **July 1, 2017**. This includes turning in your paperwork and making payment arrangements. We have available to buy:
 21-6"x6" tiles (\$250 each)
 1-3"x6" tile (\$125)
 1-6"x3" tile (\$125)
 3-3"x3" tiles (\$65 each)
 Please see the chart and notebook in the Narthex, or stop in the church office during the week for assistance.

GIVE BLOOD



Friday, May 26, 2017 • 2:00-7:00 p.m.

Forrest Burdette Fellowship Hall

To donate blood and/or to donate *your time*, call Coordinator Donna Varian (304-562-9253).

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